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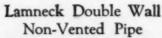
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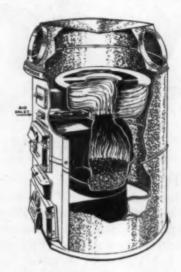
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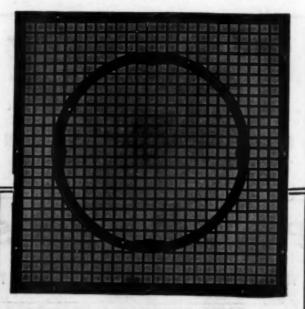
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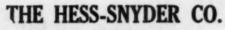
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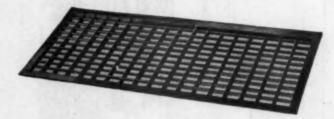
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Illustrating a box type flume made up in section, that can be built to any size, and easily installed. Note that the extended wings on top of the bank bring the surface runoff into the flume which delivers the water down and away from the banks in such a way to prevent undermining. The purpose of this flume shown on the photograph is to stop the gully from further development to save the farm and home.

# Sheet Metal Now Prevents Surface Soils from Erosive Processes

Farm Lands and Highway Foundations No Longer Need Suffer Hazards of Erosion

By George J. Duerr

SOIL erosion and methods for preventing it have occupied the attention of man for centuries. There was in former times what was known as an erosionist, or one who supported the theory that the contour of the earth was caused by erosion instead of the work of subterranean forces. That theory is

now obsolete, but its existence in the historical records shows us that the subject of erosion has been given a great deal of consideration.

Erosion is expensive. Before the system of jetties was constructed in the mouth of the Mississippi river, the United States government spent thousands of dollars annually to

keep that portion of the river open to traffic. Even now the country as a whole loses many hundreds of thousands of dollars in the loss of fertile top soils that are carried away by surface waters. The jetties in the mouth of the river effectually prevent the soil carried in suspension in the water from being dropped in the mouth of the river, but they do not prevent the erosion from taking place, which is infinitely a more to be desired objective to attain.

Not only are farms cut up by the

others not. The chief difficulty was in finding some material that would permanently hold the soil in place, while at the same time providing a smooth surface upon which the water could run off to the drain without

Muehleisen, president of the National Soil Conservation Company, Alma, Wisconsin, after much discouraging experimental work, to discover and develop a sheet metal flume which, it is believed, has successfully solved the problem of preventing soil erosion.

E. Wallace Evans, secretary of the National Soil Conservation.

E. Wallace Evans, secretary of the National Soil Conservation Company, has very clearly defined the work of the National Soil Conservation Company.

He says:

"This work was first conceived by our president, Mr. Muehleisen, about thirteen years ago, when he introduced the first flume constructed out of wood and set up in a ditch which was threatening to undermine his house and barn on his farm. The experiment worked so well that Mr. Muehleisen next introduced a flume constructed out of wood and steel and finally out of sheet steel entirely. Our flumes at the present time are constructed entirely of sheet steel, supported by steel stakes and held in place by anchors and turnbuckles. In January, 1924, Mr. Muehleisen organized a company to more extensively carry on his work



Showing an all steel flume of the half circle type. This flume was installed to head of a gully to prevent that gully from crossing the highway.

process of erosion, often leaving enormous gullies where once a flat fertile soil existed, but state highways are constantly being ruined because no effective method of carrying the surface water from them had been discovered until recently.

Railroads too, especially those running through the mountainous portions of the country, have suffered from the effects of erosion. Rarely does a rainy season pass without wrecks occurring to passenger trains, with many people killed or injured, because the flood waters have carried away the soil and gravel foundations under the rails.

Who is there who does not know the difficulties which the farmer experiences in harvesting his grain because sudden rain storms have washed out great gullies in his fields, making it extremely hazardous if not entirely impossible for him to get his heavy harvesting machinery onto the land.

Many methods have been tried to stop erosion of farm lands; some of these have been quite effective, digging its way into the soil. Many wooden water runs have been tried, but these soon rotted out, leaving



Photo No. 3 shows an all metal road shoulder drain. The purpose of this drain is to carry the surface water which falls on the road during rain storms off the road, to prevent bank erosion. With this system it is important that the road be shouldered, and the drain placed at the relief points.

the erosive processes as triumphant as ever.

It remained for Mr. Gottlieb

of correcting soil erosion by means of his steel flumes and steel dams. Since the organization of this company we have been kept busy installing our product, all to the complete satisfaction of the purchaser.

"To give you a better idea of the work we are doing, and to give you an idea of the cost of flume installation in comparison with the value it renders in the prevention of soil erosion in dollars, I refer you to the three photographs.

"From these photographs you can readily see that our patented flume carries the water down to the level of the ditch or gully and away from the head of the ditch. At the head of the ditch and back four or six feet, we set in what we call a headplate, to which is attached wings or dike, constructed also of sheet steel. This headplate and wings are set in concrete and down into the ground about a foot, so as to make them secure. To this head-plate we then bolt on our regular standard lengths of straight flume until the bottom of the ditch is reached. At the bottom we then fasten to the end of the flume an 'apron,' at the extreme end of which is fastened a foot or two of coarse, heavy woven wire. This apron and wire is to bring the water down to and on a level with the bottom of the ditch, the wire serving to stop the rushing of the water and breaking its flow.

"To a flat flume, like the one shown attached to the culvert, we do not use a head-plate nor an apron. In this case, the flume is used primarily to take the water as it comes through the opening in the bridge and carry it away from the bridge so that the rushing water can not undermine the bridge. As you probably have noticed in many instances, the water after dropping from a considerable height, churns in a backward movement, thereby washing away any dirt and undermining a structure, such as a bridge.

"Soil erosion on highways is a big problem and our company has just recently invented a small surface flume to take care of surface waters from highways. We look for a big future for this small surface flume. The next time you drive out into the country on a dirt or gravel highway, just glance along the side of the road and notice the many small ditches made by the surface water running down to seek its level. In time these small ditches grow and it is not long until they have grown to such a size that they endanger travel and ruin the highway. By installing one of our small surface flumes, this fault can be remedied. It is authentically stated that about 60 per cent of the farms in this country are affected by soil erosion, so we believe that we have a big job and a big field to work in. So far we have found nothing to equal sheet steel for the making of our flumes. It is strong, durable and not too expensive."

### Frederick Sherwood Kretsinger Passes On—82 Years of Age

His Death Occurred Suddenly While on a Business Trip to Cleveland

The kindly smile and friendly hand clasp of Frederick Sherwood Kretsinger will for the first time in many years be missed at the coming convention of the American Hard-

Frederick Sherwood Kretsinger.

ware Manufacturers', for Mr. Kretsinger has passed on. His death which occurred at Cleveland, Sunday, August 22nd, his 82nd birthday, came very suddenly and was directly due to a heart attack.

Mr. Kretsinger, whose home was in Evanston, Illinois, had gone to Cleveland on business connected with the American Fork and Hoe Company, in which company he was Chairman of the Board, and in spite of his advanced years, quite active. There is an old saying "like father, like son" and in the case of Frederick Sherwood Kretsinger, distinguished in the hardware trade as a genius of sales management,

manufacturing and commercial organization, this is especially true. Almost a century ago, the father, W. H. Kretsinger, dealt in hardware specialties in Chicago, and in 1862 after a term of apprenticeship, took his son into the firm, changing the name to W. H. Kretsinger and Son.

In 1870 father and son engaged in the manufacturing business at Fort Madison, Iowa, under the name of Soule, Kretsinger and Company, which later was changed to the Iowa Farming Tool Company, with young Kretsinger manager of the sales department.

Upon the death of the father, the son became president of the company.

In 1901, seventeen firms, including the Iowa Farming Tool Company, merged, forming the American Fork and Hoe Company. After serving one year as vice-president and superintendent of the manufacturing department, F. S. Kretsinger in 1902 was elected president of the company, holding this office until 1907, when he retired to become Chairman of the Board.

Frederick Sherwood Kretsinger was one of the founders of the

American Hardware Manufacturers' Association, its first vice-president; then later president and at the time of his death a member of the Advisory Board. To him, the younger men in the organization turned for advice for he was known for his ability to handle serious situations, and never shirked responsibilities.

He was laid to rest at Rosehill Cemetery, Chicago, Tuesday, August 24th, leaving his widow, Mrs. Grace Kretsinger, a son, William H., of Cleveland, a sister, Mrs. Grace Stewart of Fort Madison, Iowa, and a host of friends to mourn him.

Frederick Sherwood Kretsinger has passed on but his memory will live.

# Developing a Pattern for Sheet Metal Chimney Top

Article in Response to Inquiry of E. L. Brooks of Liberty, Saskatchewan

By O. W. Котнв, Principal St. Louis Technical Institute

RESPONDING to the inquiry of E. L. Brooks, of Liberty, Saskatchewan, for a 7-inch tee connection according to sketch I submit accompanying drawing will give the proper solution. In making chimney tops of this kind, it does not matter what the diameter is or the rise of the stem A, just so the collar is enough for convenient, working. In the same way it does not matter what the length of the middle pipe B is-the shorter the better so as not to give too much overhang. The angle of the inclined flues C is also optional, but about 70 degrees is a good angle, although many folks make them to a 60 degree angle. .

The main object of a chimney top of this kind is to prevent downdraft and it is claimed they are as good as anything else that can be made unless the stack is run above the highest obstruction. So the length of the flues C can be made at pleasure, or possibly from 4 to 6 inches above and below the horizontal pipe B as 1'-a and 7'-c. Most shops cut off the top and bottom of these flues to a horizontal line, as a-b and C-d, while other folks let them square pipe ends.

So the first thing to do is to draw the vertical and horizontal center lines, and at the intersections 4" describe the section of the pipe, 7 inches in this case. This circle can also be described in the stem A; but we place it as at B because from it we can draw lines in several directions from the one section. Now divide this circle into any number of equal spaces, or 12 in this case, and from each point extend lines both vertically and horizontally. This enables drawing the outline for stem A and also the middle pipe B.

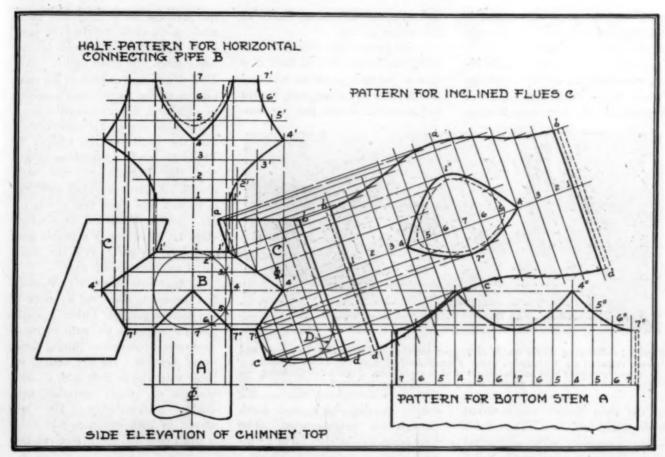
Next measure the length of the top as 1-1' and then draw the slant line as a-c to any desired angle, or about 70 degrees. Next measure over the center line and the diameter line, so all pipes have the same diameter. Often the half section D is of service in placing lines and points on the surface. But with the center line established; the miter line 1'-4'-7' is drawn between the intersecting points. Observe the section D must be drawn square or at right angles to the line a-c, and from all points in the circle the lines are drawn parallel to a-c to intersect the base lines a-b and c-d as shown. This completes the working drawing in order to develop the patterns.

In setting out the patterns there are two that are quite necessary, and that is the stem, and the middle pipe B. The flues C can be easily made out of straight pipe and then cut off. The same holds true with the several openings in the patterns—most workmen mark them out after the pipes are formed up and held together. So in starting the pattern for the stem A, measure off the stretchout or girth for pipe, or pick the spaces, as 1-2-3-4-5-6-7 for

section B of circle, and then step them off on a straight line as 7-7. From each of these points, erect lines, and then from all points in the miter 4"-7" carry over horizontal lines to cut off those of pattern of similar number as 7-7"; 6-6"; 5-5"; 4-4", etc. After this sketch a uniform free hand curve through these points, and you have the pattern for stem.

The middle pipe B must have the same circumference as stem A, and so the spaces from section B are set off as 1 to 7 above elevation. Through these points horizontal lines are drawn, and then from each point in the miter lines 1'-4'-7' erect lines to cross lines in stretchout of similar number, as at 1'-2'-3'-4', etc. Sketch a uniform curve through these points, and the outline for pattern is finished. The opening is developed by erecting lines from each of the points in the miter line 4"-7".

To develop the patterns for the side flues C, square out a line, as 1-1, at right angles to the flue, as a-c, and on this line step off the stretchout for the pipe. After this square lines both ways so as to be square to 1-1 or parallel to a-c. Observe, where the lines from section D intersect the base lines a-b and c-d, also the miter lines 1'-4'-7'. When these points have been projected into stretchout so they are parallel with line 1-1; you can draw the outline of pattern.



Patterns for Chimney Top

On large work where the drafting board projecting methods are difficult—it is better to use a pair of dividers and transfer the various

lengths from elevation into pattern. The main point is to make the lines in pattern of the same length as they are in elevation; taking care so we work from proper base lines. All patterns should be developed net—so all edges for seaming and edging must be allowed extra.

# Thirty-Six Year Old Copper Roof Now Doing Service on Second Building

Was Subjected to Ravages of Sulphurous Smelter Fumes— Also Fumes from Railroad Engines and Steam Hoists

By GEORGE J. DUERR

A N unusual degree of interest attaches to the story of the service which the sheet copper roof, about to be described, has rendered its owners. The roof has a romance all of its own, as well. The story is told by J. C. Moebus, Butte, Montana.

In 1890, Mr. Moebus and his brother were engaged by one of the early day copper mining companies operating in that section of the country to cover one of their office buildings "on location" with a copper roof. The company, of course, furnished the material.

Until this time the Moebusbrothers of the South Butte Hardware Company had never had anything to do with a copper roof, they having confined their major efforts to tin plate and other types of tin roofing. They had won considerable of a reputation in their community for always doing high-grade work. They took great pride in any work which they did, and as they were about to put on one of the most expensive types of roofing—the copper roof—they took extra pains with their work. Suffice it to say that the roof was duly installed. That was in 1890.

In 1899 the old copper company was absorbed by one of the largest copper mining companies in the country. The old smelter was torn down and all that was left of the original plant was the office building which had been covered by Moebus brothers with the copper roof. This structure was in such

good state of preservation that it was retained and used as a storage house by the new owners.

In spite of the fact that this building was being used as a storage house, it was constantly neglected. Photograph No. 1 shows how some tact with the sulphurous fumes of the copper smelter.

In its present capacity it is also being put to the test, as here it is open to the ravages of the soft coal smoke from switch engines, freight and passenger trains that are con-

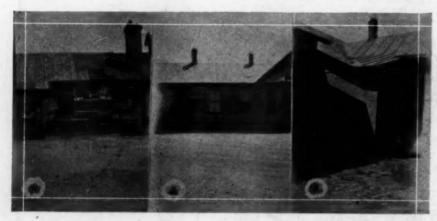


Figure 1.—Showing where strips of copper were ripped off office structure and were replaced by corrugated iron. Figure 2.—Front of old office structure showing copper roof in perfect state of preservation. Figure 3.—Showing corner of pocket where ice and snow collected.

of the sheet copper was removed by boys and junk men. These holes were re-covered with corrugated iron. However, photograph No. 2 shows the front of the office building and its roof to be in very good condition. Illustration No. 3 shows the north side with a double pitch roof and valley, where the snow and ice would fill in during the winter time.

The remarkable thing about the installation of this copper roof was that not a drop of solder was used in putting it on. The Moebus brothers do not believe in using solder, except in very extreme cases, when erecting copper roofing.

In spite of its all too apparent neglect, this copper roof has given perfect satisfaction for the 33 years of its existence.

In 1923 the old office structure was razed. At this time, however, Mr. Moebus was engaged by the copper company to remove the roof and place it upon the company residence, as shown in illustration No. 4.

From the foregoing story it is seen that the sheet copper roof referred to was put to a hard test. For a number of years while it was doing service on the old office structure it was coming in constant constantly passing back and forth through the neighborhood. The mine hoist, too, belches forth a con-

the privilege of putting this same roof on its third building, in case he is still among the land of the living when that event occurs, Mr. Moebus has thus expressed his confidence in the copper roof's ability to withstand the ravages of a good many more years. He says further that the words of the Copper & Brass Research Association (Copper, the Everlasting) are well placed. A whole world of meaning is packed into these few words of Mr. Moebus which are hereinafter quoted: "Give copper a chance and it will do its part. Will the sheet metal mechanic do his part?"

In this little story, Mr. Moebus has desired to show not so much a big artistic job, but rather a small job that comes in the path of most sheet metal contractors during their every day life. He has desired to show what can be done with a combination of quality materials and quality workmanship. The job shown in both instances was only a small one, and yet it received the



Figure 4.—Residence of copper company upon which the old copper roof was placed after it had served thirty-three years on the old office structure.

Its state of preservation is still perfect after three years' service on the residence.

stant and large volume of black smoke. And so you have a copper roof that has served for 33 years on one building, then removed and is now in its third year of service on the second.

Mr. Moebus has expressed the wish that, when the building upon which the copper roof is now doing service is torn down, he be given same consideration and thought that a much larger job would have received by the same contractor.

Mr. Moebus' big contention is that in many instances the architect has drawn up his plans in such a way that it was almost out of the question for the contractor to do a satisfactory piece of work. From this is seen the great need for the architect to get together with the "sheet metal contractor. He will contractor for consultation.

· However, he also realizes that the architect is not always to blame for the failure of a job to render the service that has been expected of it. In his opinion the majority of failures are caused by shoddy workmanship on the part of the me-

In one particular instance, Mr. Moebus had been called to another city to check up on a large copper roof which covered a state building. The roof in question had only been installed about three years and a half at the time of the inspection and was already going to pieces, although the structure had been erected to endure a century or more at the least. The roof was a failure because poor workmanship had made it a failure. If the contractor who laid the roof in the first place had been consulted about it failure to stand up, his reply would in all probability have been, as in so many instances, that copper sheeting is no good as a roofing material. On the other hand, everyone who knows anything at all about roofing materials, also knows that this is contrary to fact. The same game is played with tin plate, galvanized iron and sheet zinc.

Conditions were so bad in Montana for a time, says Mr. Moebus, that a stove repair shop got the contract to put on a copper roof. This is in no way deprecating the stove repair man or anyone else as such, but reason tells that because a man is a good stove repair man, he is not necessarily capable of laying a sheet copper, or any other type, roof correctly.

sheet metal contractor must work hard to get the architect to work with him. If he can convince the architect that the materials which he handles are second to none for the field in which he works, and that failures of those materials in some instances are due to poor workmanship on the part of the individ-

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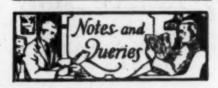
ual contractor and not to any inferiority in the materials themselves, he will get back the work which rightfully belongs to the do more. He will expand his own sphere of activity.

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GUST BAKER, Greaney and Baker. St. Petersburg, Florida, August 21, 1926.



Monel Metal.

From Central Sheet Metal and Roof-ing Company, 66 South Jefferson Avenue, Battle Creek, Michigan. Kindly-inform us where we can purchase monel metal.

Ans.—Steel Sales Corporation, 129 South Jefferson Street, Chicago.

Automatic Draft Regulators. rom Geo. D. Ro Rockford, Illinois. Corporation, From Roper

Can you tell us who makes automatic draft regulators for use on gas fired warm air furnaces?

Ans.-Honeywell Heating Specialties Company, Wabash, Indiana; Minneapolis Heat Regulator Company, 410 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, and Powers Regulator Company, 2720 Greenview Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

Repairs for "Model" Boiler. From Hoffmann's Tin Shop, P. O. Box 42, New Buffalo, Michigan. We should like to know who

makes the steam boiler formerly. made by the Model Heating Company, as we want repairs for it.

Ans.-Richmond Radiator Company, 410 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

Electric Controls for Furnaces. From A. Scheid and Son, Inglewood, California

Kindly inform us who makes electric controls or thermostats for warm air furnaces.

Ans.—Honeywell Heating Spe-

cialties Company, Wabash, Indiana, and Minneapolis Heat Regulator Company, 2747 4th Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

"Great American" Lawn Mower.

From Magin Hardware, 106 Rockton Avenue, Rockford, Illinois. Can you tell us who makes the

"Great American" lawn mower. Ans.-Pennsylvania Lawn Mower Works, 1615 North 23rd Street,

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Raised or Stamped Sheet Metal Letters

From W. J. Vierck and Son, East State at North First Street, Rock-ford, Illinois,

Can you inform me who makes pressed stamped or raised letters of sheet metal, to be 8 or 18 inches

Ans. - Friedley-Voshardt Company, 733 South Halsted Street. Chicago, Illinois.

"Hero" Heating Stove.

From Hero Furnace Company, Sycamore, Illinois.

We often have calls for repairs for the "Hero" heating stove, and would like to know who makes it.

Ans.-Cribben and Sexton Company, 680 North Sacramento, Chicago, Illinois.

Solid Rubber.

From L. R. Hamman, 507 East Pra-irie Avenue, Decatur, Illinois. Where can I purchase solid rub-

ber approximately 11/2x3x31 inches for hand asphalt spreaders?

Ans. - Atlantic India Rubber Works, 1453 West Van Buren Street, and The Vulcanized Rubber Co., Inc., 1721 Republic Bldg., both of Chicago.

Used Sheet Metal Machinery.

From Gust Baker, Box 382, 22nd Street Station, St. Petersburg, Flor-

Where can I buy used sheet metal machinery?

Ans. - Maplewood Machinery Company, 2638 Fullerton Avenue, and B. L. Saltzman, 524 West Van Buren Street; both of Chicago.

"Jewel" Heat Control.

From Accurate Sheet Metal Works, 2432 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. Please tell us who makes the

"Jewel" heat control.

Ans.—It is now made by Honeywell Heating Specialties Company, Wabash, Indiana.



# Grand Rapids Sheet Metal and Heating Engineers Forgot Business for a Day

J. J. Sweet, President and I. Lammers, Secretary Lead the Merry Making

By ETTA COHN

I heard a good one on Ros and Ike Strong of the Homer Furnace Company. Do not know whether to tell it or not, but they both are such good fellows, I am almost tempted to do so. No, I guess I had better not, but next time you see either of them, just ask them what happened on the way to Grand Rapids last Friday night.

Yes, we certainly did attend the annual outing of the Grand Rapids Sheet Metal and Heating Engineers, at Camp Lake, Grand Rapids, Saturday, August 21st, altho if it had been up to Ike Lammers, we might have still been on the way.

Now, here I am with my cart before my horse. The Strongs, Ros and his family, Ike Strong and their advertising man, B. T. Jeffrey, drove over from Coldwater, Friday night, Ros and Ike were in one car, and that is when the "great adventure" happened. It was somewhere between Coldwater and Battle Creek. Well, just ask them and you will have all the details.

The Artisan folks drove up from Chicago Friday night, or we should say Friday night and Saturday morning, as we didn't reach the Pantlind Hotel until 3 A. M. and then what a time we had finding something to eat.

Ike Lammers, truly hospitable like

all that Michigan gang, called for us at one o'clock and lead the way, the Strongs following us in their car. Well, we rode and we rode and we

rode, but asked no questions, as of course Ike Lammers knew the way.

Suddenly we saw Ike slow down, talk to several men, and we started



1.—The Most Popular Ederle of All. 2.—Blindfolded and "Bibbed" They Awaited Their Fate. 3.—Evidently Frank and Gus Ederle Saw Something or Somebody Attractive in the Distance.4.—Practicing. 5.—Douglas Strong Enjoyed His Dip. 6.—Pitching the Shoes.

forward again, or rather backward, as Ike had forgotten to turn. Goodness knows how many miles we rode out the way.

Lunch was scheduled for one o'clock, and we were sure worried, but they waited for us, and boy, did we eat. Spring chicken fricassed with biscuit, mashed potatoes, green peas and carrots, blue berry piein real man sized portions, and no one to look cross if you took a second or even a third helping. Cigarettes and cigars as usual were passed to the men, and we women were each given a box of candy. Between courses, we all sang, in tune and out of tune, but nobody thought of harmony-all we wanted was to show how happy we were.

They didn't even wait for speeches, but hustled us out to get our pictures taken, and then the real fun began. Games were played, greetings exchanged, and of course everybody had to shake hands with Frank Ederle, and exclaim at how wonderfully well Mrs. Frank looks, in spite of the serious illness she has just gone through.

The "Peanut Game" contest was confined to the ladies. Such a wild time. There were about one hundred and eighty-one peanuts in the sack, and the judging ranged all the way from 100 to 452. No, I won't tell you what I turned in, but I certainly wasn't stingy. Mrs. Delnay and Mrs. Billan, two red-headed sisters-in-law were tied for the prize. Mrs. Delnay was the lucky one and was presented with a big flashlight.

You can't keep the Ederles down. Gus Ederle and Ike Lammers walked away with the rules and pliers in the horse shoe pitching contest.

Ed Dyksterhouse won the tinners snips for judging the number of cigars left in the box after it had been passed around at luncheon. Mat Friedman might have won it, if he hadn't listened to Mrs. Florence Proskauer of Chicago, who insisted that he change his number.

When you have nothing else to do, just get a half dozen clothespins, and see how many you can drop from your chin into a milk bottle. It isn't near as easy as it looks. Mrs. E. E. Behler and Mrs. Dyksterhouse were tied for the honors, having each succeeded in getting two of the six into the bottle, but in the drawing match for the prize, Mrs. Behler won out.

Mrs. Proskauer went home richer by one pair of silk hose, because she threw the ball into the washtub of water once out of three times. Mrs. Ros Strong tied, but lost out on the



Several Decisive Moments in the Big League-Defying Ball Game

second throwing. Miss Cohn fell down completely on throwing the ball into the tub, but she aimed right when she threw the ball at Frank Ederle.

It certainly was a dirty trick to mess up the contestants in the marsh mallow feeding contest the way they did, but it gave us all a good laugh. A. J. Nydan won the casting rod and Mrs. Oole the strong box, because they were so quick, but all the entrants were allowed to keep the beautiful red and blue handkerchiefs, which were used as bibs and blind folds.

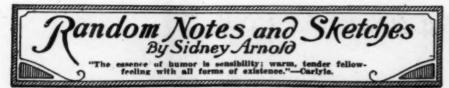
The ball game was a wonder. It would have put big leaguers to shame. What the score was, I don't know, but I do know somebody won. It was hard telling on which side the players were, in fact I believe most of them didn't know themselves, but anyway, they played ball and played it like professionals.

Three bag hits were as common as strikes, and wonder of wonders there was no fighting about decisions—maybe because Frank Ederle didn't umpire as he did at Co'dwater Lake.

All the old standbys were there. You will recognize them all on the group photograph—almost a hundred in all, and never did time pass more quickly. The Michigan folks always do things up right, and incidentally Gil Moore who is chairman of the entertainment committee for the annual convention next winter, says that his committee have some wonderful plans made. Well, the convention will be in Grand Rapids—nuf'sed.

The useful and splendid prizes for the different contests were donated by W. C. Hopson Company, George L. Lehnen, Timmer and Tepper Hardware Company, the United States Register Company, Morley Bros. Hardware Company, the State Association and Gus Ederle personally.

All of us who were fortunate enough to spend the day with the Grand Rapids folks were mighty glad we did; we thank our hosts and hope that they will remember us again next year.



It is surprising how resourcefulness can be made to get one out of difficulties. The other day H. W. Armbruster of Wheeling Corrugating Company had occasion to prove to himself that he is unusually gifted with resourcefulness.

He took the receiver of his telephone down and discovered that there were others ahead of him.

"I just put on a pan of beans for dinner," he heard one woman complacently informing another.

H. W. is a gentleman if anything and he obediently hung up the receiver and waited. Three times he waited and then, exasperated, he broke into the conversation. "Madam, I smell your beans burning," he announced crisply. A horrified scream greeted the remark, and Mr. Armbruster was able to get his number.

Julius Fleischmann of the Lincoln Sheet Metal Works, 5510 North Western Avenue, Chicago, told me about a certain Italian whose happy illusions about the rattlesnakes of this country were suddenly shattered.

It all happened this way. Trustful Tony, working with a construction gang in Wyoming, was sitting on a log eating his lunch, when he spied a rattlesnake close by. He had been told that a "rattler" never strikes without giving a warning rattle, so he made no effort to move. This rattler, however, didn't run true to form, or was irritated by the strong odor of garlic. Anyhow, he made a lunge for Tony's leg, failing entirely to furnish any previous notice. Tony, who just managed to swing his leg to the safe side of the log, was righteously indignant, and shaking his fist in the general direction of the now fast disappearing reptile, he howled: "Dama you! Why you no ringa da bell?"

A furious man rushed into a newspaper office. He was a local celebrity and had been reported as present at a boxing match.

"You referred to me as the 'well-known lightweight champion,'" he roared.

"Well-," said the editor.

"And I'm not. That's my brother. I'm the coal merchant."

I don't like to tell this one on T. R. Mackin, Chicago branch of the International Heater Company, altho it happened long before he met the Mrs. Mackin, but anyway the hush of twilight had fallen upon all things, including T. R. and the beautiful creature he was embracing by the garden gate.

At last the B. C. spoke, saying: "Won't you come into the parlor, Mr. Mackin, before you go?"

"N-no, I think not," replied Mackin, hesitatingly.

"I wish you would," pressed the young lady. "It's awful lonely! Mother has gone out and father is upstairs growling with rheumatism in the legs."

"Poor man! Both legs?" asked Mackin, solicitously.

"Yes, both," replied the old man's daughter.

"Well," decided Mackin, "do you know, perhaps I will come in for a few minutes."

Miss Helen Roland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roland of Roland & Beach, Richmond, Indiana, stepped into a drug store in Richmond recently and asked if the drug clerk could fix her up a dose of head ache powders so that the powders could not be tasted. "Certainly," said the clerk, "won't you have a glass of soda water while waifing?"

Miss Roland drank the soda-water, whereupon the clerk inquired if there were anything else. "No," replied the young lady, "just the powders." "But you have just drunk them, Miss," replied the clerk.

"Oh, but they were for my mother," said she.

These certainly are wild days. At least that's what A. A. Glessner, of Hart & Cooley Company, thinks. He was in New York some time ago and while there he met a young lady whom he liked very much. While en route via the subway to see her one day he met another girl with bobbed hair, natty openwork stockings and everything. Mr. Glessner forgot about going to his original destination, but spent the evening in Greenwich Village instead. In going home in the taxi later Mr. Glessner noticed that his companion was instructing the driver to take them to the same address to which · he himself had been bound earlier in the evening.

When they arrived at home of the fair companion, Mr. Glessner was in a quandary. His surprise and curiosity was aroused to a still higher degree when he saw the girl who he had started out to see standing on the porch.

Just then the young lady on the porch cried, "Mother, so you were out with him, were you!"

Of all kinds of humor, the pun is the coarsest, I am told by critics whose brows are high. Nevertheless, I submit this assemblage of puns. Older and worse jokes than these may be heard in vaudeville.

"What is the secret of success?" asked the Sphinx.

"Push," said the Button.

"Never be led," said the Pencil.

"Take pains," said the Window.

"Always keep cool," said the Ice.

"Be up-to-date," said the Calen-

"Never lose your head," said the Barrel.

"Make light of everything," said the Fire.

"Do a driving business," said the Hammer.

"Aspire to greater things," said the Nutmeg.

# The Editor's Page

#### Forming Closer Contact Between Architects and Contractors

S HEET metal contractors should be concerned about their duty of devising ways and means of effecting a closer contact with architects than now exists.

One of the most frequent causes for the failure of people in the key positions of the building industry, such as that of architects, to take proper notice of the merits of certain building materials is to be found in the negligence of the purveyors of those materials to call favorable attention to their wares.

The architect is a human being. He is subject to prejudice and he is capable of being influenced by logic and superior persuasive power. It is very fortunate that such is the case, for if it were not, the cause of the sheet metal contractor would be very near hopeless.

In going about his task of bringing sheet metal more forcibly to the attention of the architect, the sheet metal contractor must take these things into consideration: In the first place the architect has been trained for his work in a university. He has had drilled into him day after day for four or six years subjects in which sheet metal has played a very small part. Naturally at the very outset he is going to be prejudiced against something which he knows very little about. He reasons that if sheet metal had any superior merit, why was it not brought to his attention while he was in school? Added to this are the examples of sheet metal work that have come under his own observation. They have been anything but encouraging.

From this it is seen that before the sheet metal contractor can get anywhere at all, he must change the attitude and viewpoint of the architect. He must reeducate him to the fact that sheet metal materials have superior merit. He must acquaint the architect with the new standards that are being set up at the productive end of the industry. He must prove that these standards when once attained will be guarded with military exactness and precision.

All this work the sheet metal contractor can do if he will set his mind and heart to the task. He is being very greatly assisted in this activity by the Trade Development Committee of the National Association of Sheet Metal Contractors. The Cornice Booklet which the association has already turned out was the opening wedge. The success which the delivery and acceptance of this Cornice Booklet met with is highly encouraging; it proves beyond a shadow of a doubt that the architect can be reached; that he can be won over to the specifying of sheet metal cornices; that he can be made to appreciate the permanence and beauty of a sheet metal roof.

The Sheet Metal Specification book which the association is now about ready to send to the printers will still further aid the individual contractor in his all-important work.

There is no reason to doubt the efficacy of this method of attacking the problem to produce results. This sort of missionary work must always precede a swing toward accepting any new material—for the sheet metal of today is a new material.

The stone people were fortunate in that the examples used in architectural schools for instruction have been drawn almost exclusively from the old world, where stone is the predominating material.

As soon as the attention of the powers that be is called to the fact that they are overlooking a good material in sheet metal, they are going to take more notice of it; they are going to give it more than the kick-and-promise look. Before long they are going to respect sheet metal as they do their best friend, because the sheet metal industry as a whole is going to make them respect—not because they want to themselves out of pure benevolence of spirit.

If the contractor, when faced with these problems, will aim to formulate a plan of corrective action only after he has got at the seat of the trouble and knows why his material has come into disfavor or why it is not specified, he is bound to win the respect of the man he is trying to influence in his favor.

A closer contact must be established between sheet metal contractors and architects. The National Association of Sheet Metal Contractors is doing all in its power to bring about this closer contact. Other interested agencies, too, are doing their utmost in this work. The contractor must do his share. He is on the ground—the scene of action, as it were—and has the advantage of personal contact. If he knows of some way in which the national association could still further aid the movement, which it is not now using, it is his duty to call attention to it. The fact that he is on the ground may give him an insight into the problem which is not to be had at long range. Air your views, whether to criticize or to praise.

#### Code Pledge Card Signers in Clover

THE National Warm Air Heating & Ventilating Association will soon be carrying the story of warm air heat to the public direct.

Those warm air furnace installers who were farsighted enough to sign the Code pledge card will soon be sitting in clover. The inquiries which the national advertising will produce will be parceled out to these installers.

If you have not already done so, it will be a wise move on your part to sign the Code pledge card as soon as possible. Watch the warm air heating industry grow.

### Wisconsin Sheet Metal Contractors' Picnic at Knepel's Grove, Mequon, Wisconsin, August 25

Fine Weather, Large Crowd and Good Spirits Mixed Well for Great Time

By J. F. JOHNSON

The boys in the Sheet Metal and Warm Air Heating business in Wisconsin feel the call of the north woods every year about this time and they manage somehow to get together for a good time beneath the trees.

The Milwaukee men worked up the outing and appointed Henry Pluckhann, Ralph Gehring and Charlie Wamser on the entertainment committee.

The committee worked hard and invited the whole state to come and upwards of one hundred registered for the day.

The auxiliary boys were there in force, too, and the morning was not very old before everyone was on excellent speaking terms with one another.

Practicing for the ball game and the horseshoe pitching contests occupied the morning, with an occasional visit to the refreshment stand.

At noon, Henry Pluckhann and his assistants gave the dinner signal and oh, boy, the sauer-braten and all the trimmings sure were enjoyed.

"Milcor" and "GiltEdge" and other brands of cigars were passed around and no one had a thought for the sheet metal business. Now it was time for the ball game to get going, so the two following teams were organized.

#### Travelers

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CatcherBob Meyer
PitcherA. G. Pomrening
Right fieldH. L. Jackson
Center fieldJ. Oelstrom
Left field
Second baseW. Otten
Third base
First base
ShortstopH. Schlifske

Catcher......Geo. Jordon
Second base....Glen Holford

First baseChas. Goll
PitcherJohn Osmanski
Right fieldOtto Melcher
Third base H. R. Eschenburg
ShortstopO. Eaulson
Left fieldE. Winkler
Center fieldO. V. Nelson
Umpire-John B. Pfiffner.

The game was hot from start to finish. Home runs were frequent, base on balls, hit by pitched ball, sliding for home and all the other exciting moments took place and Umpire John B. Pfiffner was a busy man. The fact that he was not criticized for unfair decisions goes to show how well he accomplished a most difficult job.

The travelers fought the best they knew how but they could not play up to the game the contractors put up and finally fell to defeat, losing by a score of 21 to 20.

While the ball game progressed amid yells, some of the other boys took to playing horseshoes. H. Wherry, Joe Anderson, Joe and Frank Hollitz, Dave Green, Bill Hammann, Harry Christman and others were found busy tossing shoes at the stakes.

Quite a few quarters exchanged hands here and Dave Green and Joe Anderson took most of them. Joe Anderson still remains the champion of the finger pullers. He had only a few opponents this year and nobody took his money.

A picnic is never complete without a wrestling match, so Louis Echenburg and Bill Hammann put on a bout. Louis lost by rolling down a slope in the field.

A card game was under way also at this time and Jack Millen, Louis Eschenburg and some of the other boys had a nice quiet game. All the time the refreshment stand, of course, was doing a big business.

H. Meyer helped Henry Pluckhann behind the bar when the ball



Crowd we ching the ball game—Left field: 1.—The Bleachers. 2.—Ben Huisman watching Louis Eschenburg, Jack Millen and others playing cards. 3.—The popular soft drink bar. 4.—Joe Anderson winning at his favorite finger pulling game from Frank Hollitz. 5.—The losing salesmen's ball team. 6.—The contractors who outhit and outran the losing team.

game was over, as business got better than ever.

Along about dusk Louis Eschenburg started to yearn for the aroma of sizzling blut wurst sausages, so he was appointed chief of the sausage sizzlers, and Louis is an expert indeed.

With a sausage, a bun and a glass of amber fluid the boys topped off

a most pleasant picnic day. They sat around and talked between bites. Soon, however, it was dark and one by one the autos left for home with another good time chalked up for the Milwaukee boys.

#### Substitution

We wish to correct the contractors' line-up for the Contractors'-

Salesmen's ball game at the Cook County Sheet Metal Contractors' Picnic. Carl Bothfeld of 1742 West North Avenue was playing first base instead of Louis Bothfeld.

#### Harry C. Barrager Killed in Automobile Accident

Harry C. Barrager of the Meyer Furnace and Supply Company of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, met his untimely death while driving north of Marshfield on August 18th.

Mr. Barrager was connected with The Meyer Furnace Company of Peoria for four years prior to coming to the Milwaukee branch, which was opened in July of 1922. He sold to the trade in Milwaukee and surrounding territory and was widely known for both his salesmanship and fine character.

He leaves a host of friends among contractors and fellow salesmen who will miss his happy smile.

Mr. Barrager was just thirty-nine years old. He is survived by a wife and daughter.



National Hardware Association convention, Atlantic City, New Jersey, October 19, 20, 21, 22; headquarters, Ambassador Hotel; Charles F. Rock-well, 342 Madison Avenue, New York, secretary-treasurer.

American Hardware Manufacturers Association convention, Atlantic City, New Jersey, October 19, 20, 21, 22, 1926; headquarters, Ambassador Ho-tel; Charles F. Rockwell, 342 Madi-son Avenue, New York, secretarytreasurer.

Illinois Retail Hardware Association convention and exhibit, Hotel Sherman, Chicago, February 15, 16, 17, 1927. Leon D. Nish, 14 North Spring Street, Elgin, Illinois, secretary.

Michigan Sheet Metal and Roofing Contractors' Association, Pantlind Hotel, Grand Rapids, March 1, 2 and 3, 1927. Frank E. Ederle, Secretary, 1121 Frank-lin Street, S. E., Grand Rapids.

New England Hardware Dealers' Convention and Exhibition, Mechan-ics' Building, Boston, Massachusetts, February 22, 23 and 24, 1927. George A. Fiel, Secretary, 80 Federal Street, Boston.

National Association of Sheet Metal Contractors, Adolphus Hotel, Dallas, Texas, April 19, 20, 21 and 22, 1927. Edwin L. Seabrook, Secretary, 600 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.



-H. L. Jackson watching the ball sail over his head after fouling. 2.—Henry Pluckhann, Ralph Gehring and Chas. J. Wamser, the hard working entertainment committee. 3.—J. H. "Harry" Christman pitching horseshoes. 4.— "Pom" Pomrening knocking out a home run.

# Cincinnati Successful in Getting "Smoke" Ordinance Passed

#### Precepts of Standard Furnace Code Embodied in the Ordinance

HE following is that part of the recently passed Cincinnati Smoke Ordinance which refers to the installation of warm air fur-

Section 311-24. No person, firm, association, corporation, or employe thereof, shall install, change, make any addition to, alter or remove, any chimney, chimney stack, power boiler, power boiler furnace, heating boiler, heating boiler furnace, warm air furnace, oil burner, automatic mechanical stoker, or hand operated stoker; or alter, modify or change the method of supplying the draft in any furnace, without first making proper application to the Commissioner of Buildings on forms furnished by the City, and whenever considered necessary by the Commissioner, submitting proper plans and specifications in triplicate, with said application, and receiving proper permit from said Com-

missioner to perform such work.

No such permit shall be issued by said Commissioner, unless the work to be done is in accordance with the ordinances and laws pertaining thereto, nor until the Commissioner of Buildings is satisfied that the work will be done in such manner as not to create undue fire hazard, or become unsafe in any respect. This section shall not be interpreted

to apply to railroad locomotives.
Section 311-25. Where internally fired steam or hot water boilers or warm air heaters are installed for heating, the furnace of said boilers or heaters be provided with down draft, underfeed, or other type of smokeless equipment approved by the Commissioner of Buildings; except where the boiler used is of less capacity than two thousand (2,000) square feet of steam radiation, or of less capacity than three thousand two hundred (3,200) square feet of hot water radiation, manufacturers' catalogue rating, or except where in warm air heater installations the total amount of grate surface in all heaters combined is less

than (9) square feet. No heater shall be approved as smokeless which shall cause smoke of a greater degree of density than No. 1 scale, as designated in Section 309, when coal of 40 per cent volatile content is burned

A list of approved smokeless heating boilers and warm air heaters shall be kept in the office of the Commissioner of Buildings for public inspection and reference.

Section 311-26. A repair of a chimney, stack, furnace, or any of the other devices named in Section 311-24 of the Code of Ordinances may be made by or under the direction of the engineer in charge of any plant, without first having obtained a permit so to do as provided in Section 311-24 of the Code of Ordi-nances. A repair as used in this section shall be construed to mean the identical restoration or identical renewal of an

existing part or parts of a furnace or other devices referred to herein, which part or parts have become inoperative as

part or parts have become inoperative as a result of use or age.

Section 311-27. Sections 311-1, 311-2, 311-3, 311-4, 311-5, 311-6, 311-7, 311-8, 311-9, 311-10, 311-11, 311-12, 311-13, 311-14, 311-15, 311-16, 311-17, 311-18, 311-19, 311-20, 311-21, 311-22, 311-23, 311-24, 311-25, 311-26, 311-27, 311-28, 311-29 and 311-30 shall relate and apply to all construction hereafter creeted and to all construction hereafter erected, and to all existing construction hereafter reconstructed or remodeled, when in the opinion of the Commissioner of Buildings and the Chief Inspector of Mechanical Equipment and Smoke Emission, the application of said sections shall be practical, and when such recon-struction or remodeling shall require a

Section 311-28. All chimneys forming part of a building construction, except-ing chimneys for high pressure boilers ing flue will not cause any additional

smoke or create a fire hazard.

The Commissioner of Buildings shall have authority to require a larger chim-ney than the one called for in above table, if the manufacturer will not guar-

table, if the manufacturer will not guarantee his boiler or boilers to operate efficiently with size of chimney listed.

Section 311-29. All contractors having unfinished jobs on the effective date of this ordinance, for which purpose contracts were let prior to said date, shall furnish the Commissioner of Buildings a list of such austriahed jobs together with list of such unfinished jobs, together with the serial numbers of building permits issued for the building in which the installation is unfinished.

Section 311-29 (a). A list of approved warm air furnaces classified as to capacity rating, shall be kept in the office of the Commissioner of Buildings for public inspection and reference. In all cases where warm air furnaces and the appurtenances thereto are to be installed

Number of Heaters Attached to Flue

Boiler Capacity Warm air furnace capacity Hot **Dimensions** Heaters cross-connected, forming in leader Steam water and height in battery and attached to one flue rating, rating. pipe. ins. and ft. sq. in. sq. ft. sq. ft. opening. Area Height 8x12 35 700 900 450 450 8x12 35 Dimen-Dimen-Dimen-600 800 700 sions, Ht., sions, sions, 1,000 1,500 2,500 1,500 2,500 35 ft. 50 ins. 16x20 ft. 55 60 1,000 12x12 ins. 12x16 ins. 20x20 12x16 40 50 50 55 4,000 20x24 24×24 16x16 16x205,800 7,300 8,700 10,000 3,600 20x24 24x28 28x28 16x20 50 55 4,500 20x2024x24 60 28x32 30x30 80 90 90 100 5,400 6,400 24x28 28x28 20x20 65 70 75 75 30x3030x3660 30x3230x36 20x24 7,400 8,400 9,400 10,400 12,000 24x24  $32 \times 32$ 36x36 24x28 70 70 80 14,000 32x32 30x36 85 36x42 15,000 17,000 80 42x42 42x48 100 100 28x28 30x36 36x36

28×32

11,400

or for furnaces used in manufacturing, where high temperatures are maintained, shall be subject to the following:

Flue areas and heights must not be less than those given in the following table, except in the case of one-story residence buildings, in which a minimum flue height of 26 feet above the boiler or furnace grate level shall be allowed.

Minimum Chimney Flue Sizes and Heights for Furnaces and Low Pressure Steam and Hot Water Boilers

Area dimensions as tabulated in this section refer to the clear void space between the masonry walls of the chimney, inside of which the flue lining may be

Heights given are above grate level. The Commissioner of Buildings may permit any new furnace to be attached to an existing flue of smaller area or lesser height than given in this table, whenever in his opinion and judgment such existor constructed, the size of the warm air pipes, stacks and furnaces shall be de-termined as follows:

36x42

Basement Pipes

80

30x36

36x36

(1) First Floor Rooms.
Divide square feet of window a outside door openings by twelve (12). Divide square feet of net exposed wall

by sixty (60).

Divide contents in cubic feet by eight hundred (800).

Add the three quotients and multiply the sum by nine (9). The result will be the required area of

the basement pipe in square inches.

(2) Second Floor Rooms.

Divide square feet of window and out-

side door openings by twelve (12).
Divide square feet of net exposed wall

by sixty (60).

Divide contents in cubic feet by eight

hundred (800).

Add the three quotients and multiply the sum by six (6).

The result will be the required area of the basement pipe in square inches.

(3) Third Floor Rooms.

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Divide square feet of window and outside door openings by twelve (12). Divide square feet of net exposed wall

by sixty (60).

Divide contents in cubic feet by eight hundred (800).

Add the three quotients and multiply the sum by five (5). The result will be the required area of

the basement pipe in square inches.

Size of Wall Stacks

First Floor Rooms.

Calculations to be made as in Paragraph 1.
(5) Second Floor Rooms.

(5) Second Floor Rooms.

Deduct 30 per cent from basement pipe area as determined in Paragraph 2. Third Floor Rooms.

Deduct 30 per cent from basement pipe area, as determined in Paragraph 3

Each second floor room and each third floor room shall be heated by separate wall stacks.

Transitions-Fittings and Stacks

(7) Transitions from warm air pipes to stacks shall be made with a well designed elbow or boot, and no stack shall have an ear less than seventy per cent of the warm air pipe area.

Size of Registers

(8) All registers shall have a free

area at least equal to the calculated area of the basement pipe, transition fitting or stack to which they are connected. Size of Furnace

(9) To determine the size of furnace required to serve a warm air heating system, add together the respective warm air pipe areas in square inches, as determined in Paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 determined in Paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 herein. The furnace used shall have a

herein. The furnace used shall have a minimum capacity in square inches not less than the sum thus obtained.

Every person, firm or corporation installing furnaces in the City of Cincinnati, shall file with the Commissioner of Buildings a list of furnaces, or types of furnaces, which it is prepared to install; giving numbers, diameter of casings, diameter of fire pots at the top, diameter of grates, height of castings, height of furnace cased with standard cap to of furnace cased with standard cap to receive twelve inch (12") warm air pipe and the capacity in square inches of piping which each will carry.

The installation of any such furnace or type of furnace shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Buildings.

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Location of Furnace

(10) The location of the furnace shall equalize the length of warm air runs as far as possible, yet give neces-sary preferences to pipes supply living rooms, dining rooms and main halls.

Foundation

(11) Furnaces must be provided with foundations of brick, cement, or other in-combustible material, which foundations shall be level and shall extend at least fifteen inches (15") at the rear and sides of the furnace casing and thirty-six inches (36") in front.

Setting or Assembling of Furnace

(12) The base ring of the furnace shall be cemented to the foundation, making an airtight joint. The furnace parts shall be assembled plumb and level and in a workmanlike manner. All sec-tions and joints shall be properly fitted. Joints requiring cement shall be well filled and all bolts shall be drawn up

Casings

(13) Warm air furnaces shall be enclosed in metal casings or walls of brick, Portable sheet metal casings, including casing tops, shall be made of galvanized sheets, not lighter than No. 26 U. S. standard gauge. They shall fit the casting and casing rings closely so as to be dust-tight and shall be securely fastened to the front. The casing shall be lined from the upper casing ring down to the line on a level with the grate. When side collars are used, the casing

top must be of sufficient height so that the largest warm air pipes can be taken from side without ovalling. In no case shall a distance less than eight inches (8") be maintained between the top of any furnace and the top of casing or bonnet.

(14) Where the joists or ceiling above a furnace are of combustible material, there shall be a space of at least twelve inches (12") between the casing top of the furnace and such joists or ceiling, if the same are protected by incombustible covering, and a space of at least eighteen inches (18"), if the same are not so protected. Where the protection consists of an incombustible shield, the same shall be suspended at least two inches (2") from the combustible joists or ceiling, and shall extend twenty-four inches (24") beyond the outer edge of the furnace.

Openings for side casing collars shall be cut into the casing top so that the tops of all openings shall be on a level.

Casing collars shall be fitted into place with a proper flange or bead on the out-side and drawn up on the inside, making a dust-tight joint. All collars shall be of the same size as the warm air pipes

to which they are to be connected.

(15) All warm air pipes shall be made of bright tin not lighter than 1C or No. 28 gauge galvanized iron. Side seams shall be locked seams. All joints shall be either double seams or lapped not less than one and one-quarter inches (1¼"). All pipes shall be properly secured to ceiling or joist. Any pipe fourteen inches (14") or greater in diameter shall be made of material not lighter than 1X or No. 26 standard gauge galvanized iron. No basement warm air pipe shall be less than eight inches (8") in diameter.

Warm air pipes shall not be permitted to run within one inch (1") of any woodwork, except at distances of more than four feet (4') from furnace, and at such distances only where the woodwork is covered with asbestos paper and the asbestos paper is covered with tin or

Where warm air pipes pass through a masonry wall, a metal thimble shall be provided, having a diameter at least one inch (1") greater than the pipe, with the pipe supported in such a manner that the air space is uniform on all sides.

Wall Stacks

All wall stacks or wall pipes, heads, boots, ells, tees, angles and other connections shall be made of bright tin or galvanized iron, and shall be covered with not less than one thickness of ten pounds per one hundred square feet of asbestos paper. An air space of not less than three-eighths of an inch (36") should be allowed on the two sides near-est the vertical studs. All such pipes shall be braced in a proper manner so as not to obstruct the flow of the air throughout. All joints shall be locked and held in place by means of lugs or straps.

All pipes and fittings must be secured firmly in place by lugs or straps attached to the outer walls of stacks and fittings, and no nail shall be driven through these stacks or fittings at any point. No wall pipes or fittings shall be used which depend on soldered joints. The various members shall be so made that all joints members shall be so made that all joints are locked and the several members shall be attached to each other with slip joints, which are for the purpose intended air-tight. No wall stack shall be less than three and one-half inches by ten inches (3½"x10") in size.

Registers

(17) When baseboard or wall registers are used they shall be properly and permanently attached to the stack head in such manner as to prevent any leak-age of air between the head and the register.

Registers for warm air and warm air pipes shall not be located in outside walls. The warm air registers in the various rooms shall be located in or near the inside walls in all cases.

Air Supply to Furnace

(18) The air supply to furnace for warm air heating plants may be taken from outside or from within the building, or may be taken partially from outside and partially from within. In no case, however, shall air be supplied to any furnace from any basement or furnace room.

The cold air intake or return where air is taken from within the building shall have a net area throughout its en-tire length not less than ten per cent (10%) in excess of the combined net area of all warm air pipes leading from

the furnace. This may be maintained in one or more ducts.

When the cold air supply is taken wholly from the outside of the building, the supply duct at its most contracted area, must equal or exceed eighty per cent (80%) of the combined area of all warm air pipes leading from the furnace. Cold air ducts shall be constructed of

metal, tile or other incombustible material having smooth inner surface, shall maintain a constant net area throughout their entire length and shall be made tight. Where a boot or shoe is connected to the casing at the base, the opening shall not extend higher than a line on the level of the grate of the furnace. The width of the shoe shall be of proper measurement to make the area at least equal to that of the round or square pipe to which it is connected.

Wherever the space between the joists is used to convey cold air overhead, the space between such joists shall be en-closed with galvanized iron. In no case shall a cold air duct be run directly over a warm air furnace, unless the system is a forced draft system. The connection from the span to the boot or shoe shall be made of galvanized iron not lighter than No. 26 U. S. standard

The cold air face or faces shall be made of wood or metal. Where cold air face is placed in a seat or side wall (whether furnished by owner, general contractor, or furnace contractor) the open work of the face must extend to within at least one inch (1") of the floor line.

The free area of cold air faces shall be at least ten per cent (10%) in excess of the free area of the duct or ducts to which they are connected.

No vertical cold air face shall be con-

sidered effective more than twelve inches (12") above the finished floor line.

#### Smoke Pipe

(19) The smoke pipe shall be as short and direct as is consistent with the location of the furnace. It shall be made of either black or galvanized iron not lighter than No. 24 U. S. standard gauge, and of the full size of the collar on the furnace throughout its entire It must have no other opening length. for attaching any fire-place, stove, range, water heater, gas or ventilating connections; provided, however, that where an auxiliary gas burning furnace is used, the smoke pipe from the gas burning furnace when blast gates are installed in both pipes. All smoke pipes shall be locked, seamed or riveted, and all joints shall lap not less than one and one-half inches (11/2") and pipes shall be rigidly secured.

Where the smoke pipe enters the flue, a thimble shall be cemented into the flue and the connection thereto made tight. Should any smoke pipe come within eighteen inches (18") of any combustible material, such combustible material must be covered with asbestos paper and a metal shield so fastened that a two inch (2") air space shall exist between this shield and combustible material. This shield shall be no less in size than twice the diameter of the smoke pipe and of sufficient length to cover the wood at all

points.

No smoke pipe shall project through any external wall or window. No fur-nace connections shall be made to the flue without proper cleanout facilities having first been provided in the bases of the flue.

#### Pipeless or One Piece Furnaces

When but one duplex grating is used for both warm and cold air in a so-called pipeless furnace, the area of the called pipeless furnace, the area of the cold air intake shall be at least equal to the face area of the warm air outlet of the grating. The requirements of Paragraph 13 of this section as to casings shall not apply to pipeless furnaces, but such furnaces shall be governed by the following specifications:

The inner and outer casings shall be of either black or galvanized iron not lighter than No. 26 U. S. standard

gauge.

A uniform air space shall be maintained at all points between the inner and outer casings. In no case shall the top of the furnace he allowed to come closer than twelve inches (12") to any ceiling or joist above the furnace.

Where joists are cut to accommodate this type of furnace, headers shall be put in and braced so as not to weaken

the structure.

Paragraphs 1 to 6 of this section dealing with basement pipes and wall stacks, shall not apply to pipeless furnaces.

Where one warm air register face is used and a separate face or faces for cold air supply are used, all sections of this ordinance shall apply as if a pipe furnace were installed.

(21) It shall be the duty of the Commissioner of Buildings to inspect or cause to be inspected all warm air furand the appurtenances naces hereafter installed or constructed.

(22) When the work of installation has proceeded to the point where the stacks to the upper floors and heads for side wall registers have been installed, and boots have been connected,

the contractor shall notify the Commissioner of Buildings. If the work done complies in all respects with the terms of this ordinance, the said Commissioner of Buildings, or his representative shall affix a certificate to that effect to each stack or register head.

(23) Inspection of repair or renewal work shall be made in each case as the nature of the work shall require.

Final inspection of new and old jobs, including replacements, shall be made after the whole is connected up and ready to operate, and before any fire has been started.

The contractor shall furnish the with a certificate of approval owner from the Commissioner of Buildings, after the final inspection has been made and the work found satisfactory

(26) It shall be unlawful for any person or lath over, plaster or cover up any warm air heating work before such work has been inspected and the certificates herein provided for have been attached

The Commissioner of Buildings shall have the right and authority to remove or order removed all lath, plaster, or other covering which may have been placed over any work before the same has been inspected.

Sec. 311-30. The fees for permits herein prescribed shall in each instance be paid before the permit is issued, and

shall be credited to the Public Safety Fund, which fees shall be as follows:

#### Warm Air Heating Furnaces and Steam or Hot Water Heating Boilers

New installations in buildings of 25,000 cubic feet content, or less, each such heating unit..... \$2.50 New installations in buildings of more than 25,000 and less than 50,000 cubic feet content, each such heating unit .. 4.00 New installations in buildings of 50,000 cubic feet content or more,

each such heating unit... 5.00 Replacements, warm air furnaces and heating boilers, each...... 2.00 Any heating furnace or boiler, when added as an alternative auxiliary

to an existing heating system....
Installation of oil burners in dwell-2.00 ings, for each such heating unit. 1.00 Installation of gas burners in dwellings, for each such heating unit. 1.00

"Replacement," as used in this section, shall mean the installation of a warm air furnace to replace another warm air furnace of the same capacity, or the installation of a heating boiler to replace another heating boiler of the same capacity. When the new furnace or boiler is of greater capacity, the fee shall be the same as in the case of a new installation.

### Fuller Hardware Works Up Big Fishing Tackle Trade

#### Fishing Contest Makes Store Headquarters for Information on Best Fishing Places

FEN YEARS ago, at a sugges-Tion from a salesman, we started our fishing contest by offering one prize for the largest bass caught during the month of August. We got out a small circular announcement, distributed it among the several resorts, and also announcements were made in the local paper, says E. V. Fuller, Fuller's Hardware, Park Rapids, Minnesota, writing in Hardware Trade.

We had several nice bass entries and it aroused considerable interest and found much favor with the summer resorts so that the following year a few more prizes were added, taking in a few more varieties of fish to be found here. This has increased each year until the present year we are offering 24 prizes covering nearly every variety of fishing to be found in this vicinity. The list of entries has increased each year from a few entries in the beginning up to 253 in 1925. It has grown so that the result sheet has grown from a typewritten sheet to

a display card and now has to be put out in folder form.

#### Fishermen Get Information

There are several reasons for the success of this fishing contest. One of them is the location of our store, being in one of Minnesota's best fishing districts with the largest . variety of fishing to be found in any one section of the state. The next big reason is the large number of resorts who are willing to cooperate to put this across. The third main reason is that it has grown to be a community advertisement as well as an advertisement for Fuller's Hard-

Conducting the fishing contest enables us to give first-hand information on the fishing conditions, also gives us something in black and white, something more definite than just hearsay when we answer an inquiry on fishing.

At the end of the season when we get out our result sheet it shows the date, the weight, the lake, home address of the fisherman, as well as the resort he was stopping at.

This is mighty good information for fishermen in planning their next year's vacation so as to arrive at the means this has brought very satisfactory results to all those concerned. The store gains its advertising and publicity from the fish being displayed in the window and

The summer resorts who contribute the prizes each year to this contest are advertised in our announcement sheet as the donors of the various prizes they have offered. Each time a fish is entered the name of the resort is shown on the receipt which he receives so that the fisherman will advertise the resort every time he shows his receipt to his friends. When the display card is shown in the window it also shows the name of the resort. Then again on the result sheet, every time that an entry has been made by a guest of a resort, this resort will show that many times on a result sheet. When the prizes are sent out to the winners at the end of the season, they are sent out with the compliments of the resort donating the prize.

Resorts in on It

This contest also means a lot to the resorts in being able to prove in some way that the fishing is still good in this territory and pays them back many times more than the price of the prize in this contest.

In addition to these other forms of advertising the weekly papers are glad to get a list each week of the entries. They use it as summer news and publish it without cost either to us or the summer resorts.

To keep as many entries coming as possible we have made the entering conditions just as easy as possible having no strings or conditions on what kind of bait or where the fish was caught, merely have them bring the fish in and have them weigh it on our scales in our store, which is official weight, and let us display the fish on ice in our window. We have not set a time the fish should be displayed. Sometimes it is inconvenient for the fisherman to leave his fish for any length of time but most of them leave their fish for a half day or better and then the fish is returned to the person entering same.

Displaying the Fish

To take care of the fish displayed in our window, we have a special built sink about 48 inches long, 30 inches wide and about 6 inches deep. This we keep filled with ice and the



time when their favorite fishing is at its best.

These result sheets are mailed to everyone who has made an entry in the contest that season, are distributed through the various information bureaus and are used by the resorts in advertising their showing of the fish that were caught by guests at their resorts.

As advertising and publicity

enables us to keep posted on the baits that are being used as well as where the fish are being caught so that we can give reliable information to our customers who wish information on fishing.

A display of fish in our window always draws a great deal of attention, which adds value to the other displays as well as the tackle displayed. fish displayed in it. They are well taken care of so that they are returned to their owners in perfect condition.

Conducting a fishing contest is a lot of work and quite expensive and I doubt if we would be able to keep it up or make a success of it if it were not for the coöperation of the summer resorts donating the prizes and encouraging their guests to bring in their big ones and otherwise showing their good-will in boosting this fishing contest. I doubt very much if our contest would be the success it has been if it were not for the ideal location of

the Mantrap-Valley Itasca Park Region where we have such a variety of fishing and can show the fisherman some variety of good fishing at any time.

As it is now being conducted, the fishing contest almost pays its own way. Retail sales of the rods to the resorts which are offered for prizes leave margin enough to pay for the printing of the announcement sheet and the ice used for the window display. The result sheet is financed by selling advertising space to the resorts and local merchants to cover the cost of the printing and distribution of the sheet.

### Steel Record for June, July and August Is Unequalled

Pig Iron Sales Steady—Little Change in Nonferrous Prices

A UGUST bookings and production have served to round out a sustained record of heavy business for the summer period that is without parallel in the steel industry. During the past three months the mills have entered, produced and shipped, it is estimated, well over 1,000,000 tons more than during the corresponding period in 1925 when the high yearly output of steel was established.

Activities of the past three months have averaged approximately 80 per cent of capacity. This is at a rate fully 5,000,000 to 6,000,000 tons per annum ahead of that shown in the June-August period last year when production averaged slightly over 70 per cent.

New requirements of miscellaneous character are large and steady and the situation is yet to develop trustworthy evidence pointing to a permanent sagging in recent consumption.

#### Pig Iron

Inactivity in the pig iron market is more pronounced. None of the three outstanding inquiries of a week ago has been closed, and no new inquiries are out. Most sellers still are quoting \$18, base, valley. The report of \$17, base, valley, having been offered a week ago ap-

parently resulted from a melter taking a quotation received from a Shenango valley producer and figuring it back to Youngstown.

The market continues quotable at \$17.50 to \$18, base, valley.

At Chicago despite light buying, the price of northern No. 2 and malleable pig iron still seems to be firm at \$21, Chicago furnace.

The price of \$21.50 apparently has disappeared from the spot transactions, practically all tonnages moving at \$21.

Inquiries and other indications point to a heavy demand for foundry iron for the last quarter at Birmingham.

Sales during past week continued in small lots and the aggregate was less than the make. Furnaces continue to quote \$21, base.

#### Copper

Some producers have been willing the past day or two to sell below the 14.50 cent Connecticut level after holding out for that figure, while a few large interests continued to hold firmly at that figure.

A little went as low as 14.37½ cents delivered, but generally producers would not meet that figure.

Little metal has been available for domestic consumers in the outside market.

#### Zinc

As smelters have not been carrying large stocks at any time, activity was easily reflected in firmness, and prime western crossed 7.45 cents East St. Louis.

Some buying was for prompt shipment and some for September; while a little interest was shown in October shipments, some smelters did not care to sell for this month.

#### Lead

Though there is no change in the American Smelting & Refining Company's price of 8.90 cents New York, there is a somewhat easier tone to the market in general, and the principal factor in the middle west, heretofore asking 8.75 cents St. Louis basis, has lowered his price to 8.70 cents for September shipment.

#### Tin

Prompt and August delivery again was shown to be in very small supply, with no sellers at under 65.12½ cents, or ½ cent lower than asked at the close yesterday, while in September delivery on efforts to buy the market was bid up from 64.50 cents to 64.70 cents without apparently finding sellers, although yesterday there were sellers at 64.87½ cents and no buyers at 64.75 cents.

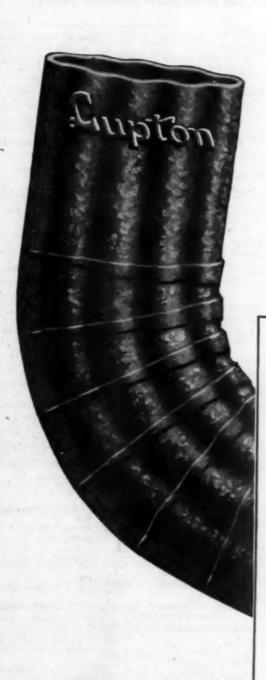
October delivery has been quiet at 64.12½ cents bid, 64.37½ cents asked, and November at 64.00 cents to 64.12½ cents.

#### Old Metals

Wholesale quotations in the Chicago district, which should be considered as nominal, are as follows: Old steel axles, \$17.50 to \$18.00; old iron axles, \$24.00 to \$24.50; steel springs, \$18.50 to \$19.00; No. 1 wrought iron, \$13.00 to \$13.50; No. 1 cast, \$16.00 to \$16.50, all per net tons. Prices for non-ferrous metals are quoted as follows, per pound: Light copper, 9 cents; zinc, 5 cents, and cast aluminum, 19 cents.

#### Solder

Chicago warehouse prices on solder are as follows: Warranted 50-50, \$41.50; commercial 45-55, \$38.50, and plumbers', \$37.50, all per 100 pounds.



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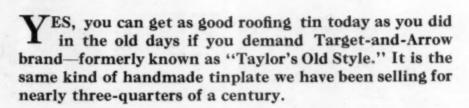
As a guarantee of perfect and uniform fit, good heavy materials, and clean galvanizing, be sure you find that name "Lupton" on the next elbows you use.

Specify them to your jobber DAVID LUPTON'S SONS CO.
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# Chicago Warehouse Metal and Furnace Supply Prices

AMERICAN ARTISAN AND HARDWARE RECORD is the only publication containing Western Hardware and Metal prices corrected weekly.

METALS	HARDWARE, SHEET METAL SUPPLIES,	Iwan's Split Handle	Geo. W. Diener Mfgo. Ea No. 02 Gasolene forch, 1 qt
PIG IRON	WARM AIR FURNACE	(Eureka) 4-ft. Handleper doz. \$14 00 7-ft. Handleper doz. 36 00	No. 0250, Kerosene, or Gasolene Torch, 1 qt. 7 54
Chicago Foundry \$21 0	FITTINGS AND ACCES-		Square tank, 1 gal 12 66
Chicago Foundry	SORIES	Iwan's Hercules pattern, per des	No. 21 Gas Soldering Fur-
FIRST QUALITY BRIGHT TIN PLATES	American Pig\$ 9 90	EAVES TROUGH Galv. Crimpedge, crated75 & 5%	No. 110 Automatic Gas Soldering Furnace 10 84
IC 20x28 112 sheets\$25 10 IX 20x28	) Differ		Double Blast Mfg. Co. Gasolene, Nos. 25 and 3660%
IXX 20x28 56 sheets 16 2: IXXX 20x28	Full Collsper 100 lbs. 14 00 Cut Collsper 100 lbs. 14 25	ELBOWS Conductor Pipe Mileor. Galv., plain or corrugated,	Quick Meal Steve Co. Vesuvius, F. O. B. St. Louis 30% (Extra Disct. for large
TERNE PLATES Per Box	Pig tinper 100 lbs. 74 00 Bar tinper 100 lbs. 75 00	round flat Crimp.	quantities)
IC 20x28, 40-lb. 112 sheets. 327 91 IX 20x28, 40-lb. 112 sheets. 32 91 IC 20x28, 25-lb. 112 sheets. 22 92 IX 20x28, 25-lb. 112 sheets. 25 26	ASBESTOS Paper up to 1/166c per lb.	28 Gauge 60% 26 Gauge 40% 24 Gauge 110%	
IC 20x28, 20-lb, 112 sheets. 20 21 IV 20x28, 20 lb, 112 sheets. 23 00 IC 20x28, 15-lb, 112 sheets. 16 50	Mill board 3/32 to 166e per 1b.	Square Corrugated	Buxzer No. 43 19 00
"ARMCO" INGOT IRON PLATES	sq. ft. to roll)\$6.00 per roll	Standard Gauge	GALVANIZED WARE
No. 8 ga. up to and including	Hot Air Libe Cleaning	ARRIVA TO LA TEST	Pails (Galv. after made), 19-qt
COKE PLATES	Bristle, with handle, each. \$0 85	Standard Gauge Conductor Pipe,	No. 2 6 86
Cokes, 80 lbs., base, 20x28.\$12 60 Cokes, 90 lbs., base, 20x28.12 80 Cokes, 100 lbs., base, 20x28.13 90 Cokes, 107 lbs., base, 20x28.	Steel only, each 1 25	plain or corrugated. Not nested	GLA88
Cokes 195 lbs. base, Ic	BURRS Coppers Burrs only45%	nested solid	Single Strength, A, 25-in, brackets
Cokes, 135 lbs., base, IA. 20x28 Cokes, 155 lbs., base, 56		ELBOWS—Stove Pipe	in. bracket
Cokes, 175 lbs., base, 56	OEMENT, FURNACE  American Seal, 50-lb. cans, net \$ 45 American Seal, 50-lb. cans, net 90 American Seal, 25-lb. cans, net 2 00	1-piece Corrugated. Uniform Blue "Milcor" No. 28 gauge.	brackets
Cokes, 195 lbs., base, 56	American Seal, 25-lb. cans, net 2 00 Asbestos, 5-lb. cans net 45	5-inch	HANGERS
BLUE ANNEALED SHERTS	Asbestos, 5-lb, cans net 45 Pecoraper 100 lbs. 7 51	6-inch	Conductor Pipe Milcor Perfection Wire25%
Sase 10 gaper 100 lbs. \$2 30 "Armco" 10 gaper 100 lbs. 4 00	CHIMNEY TOPS Iwan's Complete Rev. &	Special Corrugated	Eaves Trough
ONE PASS COLD ROLLED BLACK	Vent	8-inch	
No. 18-20per 100 lbs. \$3 90 No. 22-24per 100 lbs. 3 95 No. 26per 100 lbs. 4 00	CLINKER TONGS Front Rank, each	Adjustable—Uniform Blue "Milcor" No. 28 Gauge. Uniform Blue.	Milcor Selflock E. T. Wire, List plus
No. 27per 100 lbs. 4 05 No. 28per 100 lbs. 4 10	The second secon	8-Inch	Bex HOOKS
GALVANIZED	Damper	7-inch	V. & B. No. 1, each30 26 Conductor
"Armeo" 28 per 100 lbs. \$6 70 No. 16 per 100 lbs. 4 50 No. 18-20 per 100 lbs. 4 65 No. 32-24 per 100 lbs. 4 35 No. 26 per 100 lbs. 4 35 No. 27 per 100 lbs. 4 35 No. 27 per 100 lbs. 5 100 lbs.	Acme, with tail pieces, per doz	WOOD FACES-50% of list.	Milcor "Direct Drive" Wrought Iron for wood or brick15%
No. 25	COPPERS—Soldering Pointed Roofing	726-6-121/5% (100 rods)\$28 68 1948-6-141/5% (100 rods) 43 63	Hay V. & B. No. 1, each\$0 \$6
BAR SOLDER	2 lb. and heavierper lb. 40c	FILES AND BASPS	HUMIDIFIERS
Warranted 50-50 per 100 lbs. 41 50	2 ½ lb	Heller's (American)50-10%	"Front-Rank," Automatic In single lots
Commercial	1 lbper lb. 60c	American	In lots of 10 or more50-5% In lots of 25 or more50-10% Vapor pans, etc., each56%
Plumbersper 100 lbs. 35 50	Chicago Steel Bending Nos. 1 to 6BNet	Eagle       50 %         Great       50 %         Kearney & Foot       50 %         McClellan       50 %	Store Cover
In Slabs\$8 50	CUT-OFFS '	McClellan 50% Nicholson 50% Simonds 60%	Copperedper gro. \$6 00 Alaskaper gro. 4 75
SHEET ZINC Cash Lots (600 lbs.)\$13 76	Kuehn's Korrekt Kutoffs: Galv., plain, round or cor. rd. standard gauge40%	FIRE POTS	Tinners
Sheet Lots 14 75	26 gauge30%	Otto Bernz Co.	Hickoryper dos. \$2 25
BRASS  Bheets, Chicago base19%c Tubing, brased base28%c Mill base19%c	DAMPERS "Yankee" Hot Air 7 inch, each 20c, doz\$1 75	East of west boundary line of Province of Manitoba Canada, No. Dakota, So. Dakota, Nebras- ka, Kansas, Oklaboma Amaril- lo. San Angelo and Laredo,	MITRES Galvanized steel mitres, and
Mill base	8 inch, each 25c, doz 2 40 9 inch, each 30c, doz 2 75 10 inch, each 32c, doz 2 00	lo. San Angelo and Laredo. Texas	caps, end pieces, outlets30%  Mileor Galv. one piece stamped40%
COPPER	Smoke Pine	Clayton & Lambert's	
Sheets, Chicago base23c Mill base22c Fubing, scamless base26c	7 inch, each	East of west boundary line of Province of Manitoba, Canada,	NAILS Cut Steel
Wire, No. 9 B & S Ga 19½c Wire, No. 10, B & B Ga 19½c Wire, No. 11 B & B Ga 19½c Wire, No. 1 B & S Ga. and	12 inch, each	No. Dakota, So. Dakota, Ne- braska, Kansas, Oklahoma. Am- arillo, San Angelo and Laredo. Texas 52% West of above boundary line	Wire Common
heavier	9 inch, each	West of above boundary the	(Continued on page 168)



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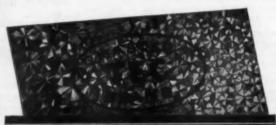
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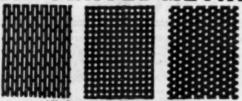
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		Marshalltown Heater Co	Asbestos Dry Paste: 200-lb. barrel\$15 00	Red Rosin Sheeting, per ton 57 00
	Co	Marshalltown Mfg. Co — May-Fiebeger Co	100-lb. barrel 8 00 35-lb. pail 3 25	
	American Furnace Co139	Merchant & Evans Co — Meyer Furnace Co., The188	10-lb. bag	SCREWS
	American Steel & Wire Co175	Meyer Bros. Co., F., The140	2½-lb. cartons 30	Sheet Metal No. 7, 1/21/4, per gross\$0 52
	American Tube & Stamping Co.148	Milwaukee Corr. CoBack Cover Monitor Furnace Co	Conductor	No. 10, %x3/16, per gross 63
	Andes Range & Furnace Corp	Mt. Vernon Furn. & Mfg. Co	Cor. Rd., Plain Rd. or Sq.	No. 14, %x%, per gross 89
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	Dieckmann Co., Ferdinand — Diener Mfg. Co	R	Lend Per 100 lbs\$12 50	SQUARES
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	Excelsior Steel Furn. Co —	•	per doz. 1 10	TryNet
	F	Sall Mountain Co	POKERS, FURNACE	Try and BevelNet
	Floral City Heater Co. 136	Schwab & Sons, R. J Security Stove & Mfg. Co	Each	Try and MitreNet
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	Hall-Neal Co — Harrington & King Perf. Co 169	Success Heater Mfg. Co	Commercial Putty, 100-lb. kits\$3 40	VENTILATORS
	Hart & Cooley Co	T	QUADRANTS	Standard30 to 40%
	Henry Furnace & Fdy. Co138 Hess-Snyder Co148	Taylor Co., N. & G167	Malleable Iron Damper10%	WIRE
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	1	Utica Heater Co 187	I SELECTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF	Wire cloth—Black painted, 12-mesh, per 109 sq. ft 1 75
	Independent Register & Mfg.	V	FLOOR REGISTERS AND BORDERS	Cattle Wire—galvanized catch weight speel, per
	Inland Steel Co	Vedder Pattern Works 142 Viking Shear Co	Steel and Semi-Steel40%	Galvanized Hog Wire, 80 rod
	-	VIAIDE Shear Co	Adjustable Ceiling Ventilators40%	spool, per spool 3 34 Galvanised plain wire, No. 9,
	Keith Furnace Co	Warm Air Furnace Fan Co		per 100 lbs
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	L	Wheeling Corr. Co Whitney Mfg. Co., W. A171	Large Register Faces—Steel,	No. 790, Guarantee per doz. \$55 00 No. 770. Bicycle per doz. 52 50
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ns.	Galvanized before weav-	. Per Square
ue.	ing	Best grade, slate surf. prep'd \$2 36 Best talc surfaced 2 65
	PASTE	Medium tale surfaced 2 00
	Asbestos Dry Paste:	Light tale surfaced 1 20 Red Rosin Sheeting, per ton 57 00
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	100-lb. barrel \$ 00 35-lb. pail 3 25	at the second second
	35-lb. pail	SCREWS
140	2½-lb. cartons 30	Sheet Metal
Cover	PIPE	No. 7, 1/2 1/4, per gross\$0 52 No. 10, 1/4 x3/16, per gross 63
	Conductor Cor. Rd., Plain Rd. or Sq.	No. 14, %x¼, per gross 89
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	"Interlock" Galvanized Crated and nested (all	SHEARS, TINNERS' & MACHINISTS'
	Crated and not nested	
np-	gauges)	Viking
The	28 gauge, 6 inch U. C.	Lennex Throatless
Cover	nested	No. 18
Co.142	98 gauge 7 inch II C	(f. o. b. Marshalltown, Iowa.)
	nested	
	30 gauge, 5 inch U. C. nested	SHOES
A.167	80 gauge, 6 inch U. C. nested	Milcor
	nested	Galv. Std. Gauge, Plain or corg. round flat crimp65%
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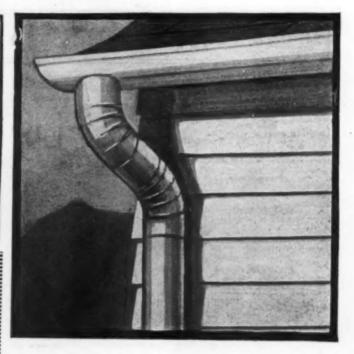
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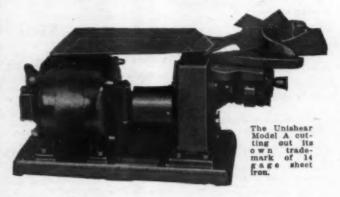


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Sas.

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#### SITUATION WANTED

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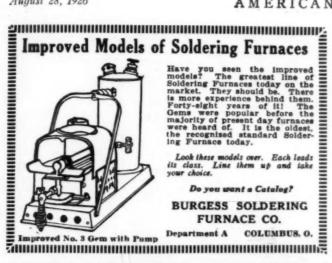
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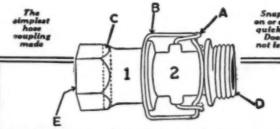
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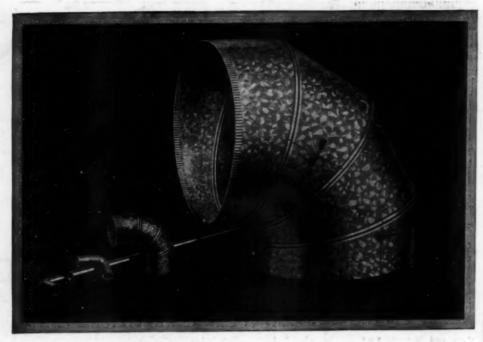
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